

Basic Detail Report

Silver Gilt Counter Box of 26 Counters

Date

c. 1630-1640

Primary Maker

Unknown

Medium

silver gilt

Description

The cylindrical box engraved with four military trophies, the slip-on cap with a relief profile bust of Charles I, the base engraved with the figure of Chronos in a landscape, containing 26 counters, stamped with portraits of monarchs from Edward the Confessor to Charles I, each surrounded by straps, mostly supported by lions, and giving their names and some dates of death, the reverse with their coats of arms.

Dimensions

Box: 3.2 cm (1 1/4 in.) Outside (diameter of counters): 2.9 cm (1 1/8 in.)